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Q. ***Does anyone in this country know how much the Central Intelligence Agency spends on what? Since the CIA is spending the taxpayers' loot, why is no accounting made to the taxpayer?—Bill Hootenfled, Durham, N.C.***

A. The CIA spends money without public scrutiny on the ground that its spending involves the national security. Sen. Richard Russell (D., Ga.), who runs the Senate's watchdog committee on the CIA, probably knows the most about CIA activities and expenditures. Recently he permitted three members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee—William Fulbright, Mike Mansfield and Bourke Hickenlooper—to sit in on meetings of his CIA committee, but none of these gentlemen is going to spill the beans. The CIA is in a position to get away with murder and has.